

A LIBEL ON CARSON.

The Carson City Index-Union will hereafter appear just once a week, instead of daily. The editor truly says that Carson is not big or prosperous enough to sustain a daily paper.—Sacramento Bee.

The statement that Carson City has so retrograded that it cannot support a daily paper is an unwarranted libel on this city.

The fact that a daily newspaper recently died here which in no way represented the interests of the city, cuts no more figure in gauging the prosperity of Carson than would the failure of a peanut stand be considered as indicative of the instability of the leading business houses of the city.

Within the past few years several newspapers have been started in Carson with the idea in the minds of the publishers and backers that by displacing some already established newspaper, room could be made for the new one.

One after another of these papers have passed out of existence for lack of support; and each dying journal prints an extra large edition to send abroad the statement that Carson is "played out" because it cannot support a daily newspaper.

Carson can not only support one daily newspaper, but it now supports, as it always has done for years, two daily newspapers.

It all depends on the kind of newspaper you offer it.

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Half a dozen newspapers have been started in this city on grievances and they have died simply because there was no room for them or their grievances.

The statement that the death of the last daily newspaper that died in Ormsby county indicates retrogression on the part of Carson City is sufficiently refuted by the fact that property has increased 15 per cent. in 1887, the delinquent tax list is smaller, merchants report a bigger business, collections are easier and the tax rate for the coming year is less than ever before in the history of the county. 1887 has been a prosperous year in Carson and the APPEAL asks every paper that has unwittingly copied this libel on the city to make amends by stating the real facts.

An Indian Execution.

The following account of the execution of Indian Joe, an old medicine man of the Shoshone tribe, is vouched for by our Wells correspondent, to whom we are indebted for the particulars: "There was a genuine execution in this county last Sunday, which was not on the court calendar. Medicine Joe, whose principle range has been in Clover and Star Valleys, was hanged at Flat Rock on Mary's River, on account of his failure to effect a cure no three or four young Indians who died under his treatment. Owing to the fact that as medical adviser he failed to save the lives of his was patients, an indignation meeting held and in accordance with their superstition old Joe had out lived his usefulness and deserved to be numbered with his defunct patients. A committee was appointed to proceed to Wells and have a telegram sent to Johnson Sides, the big Chief at Reno, requesting his immediate attendance upon the scene. After waiting for four days in vain for his appearance, it was determined in council to put their purpose into effect, as it was ascertained that no less than nine Indians had been caused to pass over to the happy hunting grounds through the malpractice of old Joe. The method of execution as given in confidence to our reporter is this: The victim is tied by the feet to some secure anchor, such as a tree or a rock, a rope tied around his neck to which a horse is hitched and made to pull until life is extinct. This is the manner in which the inefficient healer was disposed of on Sunday, December 25, 1887, and it certainly proved anything else but a Merry Christmas to poor old Joe.



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